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Doctor Blue further reports: Antiplague operations in Oakland, Cal., for week ended October 26:

Sick inspected -----	18
Dead inspected -----	32
Premises inspected -----	3,343
Houses disinfected -----	4
Nuisances abated -----	536
Rats found dead -----	49
Rats trapped -----	598
Poisons placed -----	12,387
Notices served -----	122
Ships inspected -----	25
Ships served with notices -----	8
Rats examined -----	4
Cats examined -----	2

*Outgoing quarantine transactions.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Hobdy reports, October 28:

Week ended October 26. Fifty-nine vessels were disinfected during the week. Sixty-seven vessels that had previously been disinfected were certified to as having observed the required precautions.

*Report from Los Angeles, Cal.—Organization of work of sanitation and rat destruction.*

Surgeon Brooks reports, October 26:

Special work was begun in this city October 25 to cleanse the city and destroy rats. A committee, on which I was requested to serve, was appointed by the county medical society to confer with the mayor and council of the city to urge upon them the advisability of this work. As a result, the board of health of this city has been authorized to appoint 9 physicians as medical inspectors (one for each ward of the city), 18 sanitary inspectors, 81 assistant sanitary inspectors (rat catchers), and 140 laborers; and 40 two-horse wagons will be hired to carry off refuse. The city health officer has complete control of this work.

*Report from Seattle, Wash.—No further cases of plague.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Cofer reports:

November 11. No further developments in plague. Have employed six acting assistant surgeons and three attendants. Have sixty men at work. Everything progressing favorably.

STATISTICAL REPORTS OF MORBIDITY AND MORTALITY, STATES AND CITIES  
OF THE UNITED STATES—UNTABULATED.

CONNECTICUT—*Stamford*.—Month of October, 1907. Estimated population, 20,000. Number of deaths not reported. Case: Tuberculosis, 1.

FLORIDA—*Pensacola*.—Month of October, 1907. Estimated population, 22,256. Total number of deaths, 38, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 1, and 3 from tuberculosis. Cases of contagious diseases not reported.